

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that: my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first, and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: DISSOLVABLE OXIDES FOR BIOLOGICAL APPLICATIONS

the specification of which is attached and/or was filed on May 29, 1997 as United States Application Serial No. _____ or PCT International Application No. PCT/FI97/00330 and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT International application(s) having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed:

Country	Application Number	Date of Filing	Priority Claimed Under 35 U.S.C. 119
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

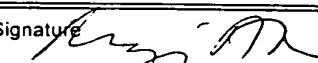
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s) or § 365(c) of any PCT International application(s) designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

Application Number	Date of Filing	Status (Patented, Pending, Abandoned)

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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TRANSMITTAL OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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April 21, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are copies of a Revocation of Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Attorney, and a Certificate Under 37 CFR § 3.73(b) which were filed in parent application S.N. 10/178,718. These papers revoked all previous powers of attorney and appointed the undersigned as principal attorney with full power to prosecute the parent application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith. Also attached is a Notice of Acceptance of Power of Attorney mailed March 14, 2003.

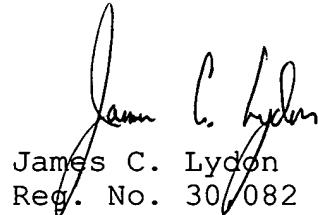
It is not believed any fee is required for entry and consideration of this Transmittal. Nevertheless, the Commissioner

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is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1258 in the amount of any such required fee.

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NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

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**REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY
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Sir:

Bioxid Oy, a Finnish corporation having a place of business at, Tykistökatu 4 D, 4. krs, FIN-20520 Turku, Finland, is the sole owner of this application, as set forth in the attached Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).

The Assignee of this application hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney granted in this application, and hereby appoints as principal attorney James C. Lydon, Reg. No. 30,082, with full power to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith.

U.S. Patent Appln. S.N. 10/178,718
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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR § 3.73(b)

Bioxid Oy, a Finnish corporation, certifies that it is the ..
(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee)
assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent
application identified above by virtue of either:

A. [] An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent
application identified above. The assignment was recorded
in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel ____, Frame
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OR

B. [x] A chain of title from the inventors of parent U.S.
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application identified above is a continuation, to the
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[] Additional documents in the chain of title are listed on
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The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the
chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to
the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the
assignee identified above.

U.S. Patent Appln. S.N. 10/178,718
CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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